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EAZY Kitchen Kits[©]



We are pleased to introduce EAZY kitchen kits for those who want a beautiful kitchen at a really affordable price without compromising on quality. The total price for the kits to make the kitchen pictured is £55.00 (and £12 for the Miele oven).

The units, which are available with either plain or panelled doors (it is also possible to add mouldings to the panelled doors for a classic finish) can be completed in any way you choose, leaving them in natural wood, or painting them in the colour of your choice. You can also use Fablon or other self-adhesive covering to create the high-gloss finish seen in the kitchen above (we supply this in a wide range of colours along with other exciting finishes – see website).

There is a choice of over 20 worktops and four different handles (or you may purchase your own separately if you wish). We've also added a tall larder unit, column oven, integrated American style fridge, wine rack, and a choice of extractors. The sinks, taps and extractors are all real metal.

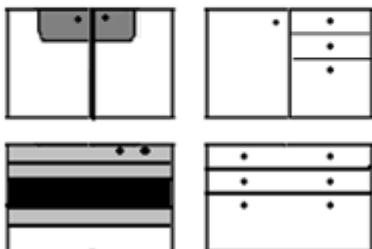
On the following pages you will find details of the units available, help on deciding which units you need, and how to plan your new kitchen. You may also like to look at the [FLEXI kit](#) (see the relevant category on the website) part of the EAZY range, which is a single kit with everything you need to make a complete kitchen. We also have a range of [1-CLICK](#) kitchens – pre-designed kitchens available in a choice of finishes – just add to your shopping cart and we'll send you everything you need to make your chosen kitchen (you just need to add glue and paint).

EAZY kits are the easy way to make a beautiful kitchen. Easy to plan, easy to make and above all easy on the budget!

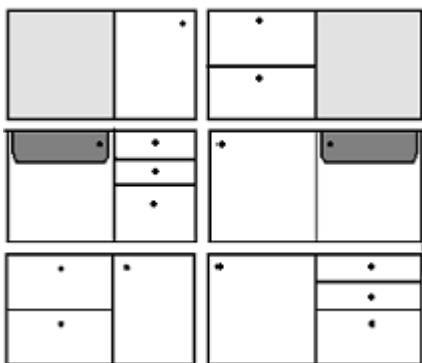
In simple terms EAZY kitchens consist of a series of “blocks”, onto which you can glue a wide variety of fronts – doors, drawers, oven fronts etc. There is also a series of individual units, some of them tall units such as a full-length larder unit, and an integrated American fridge, while others are base units, such as the wine rack or the Butler sink unit. Below we give you an indication of how you can use the main base blocks. (For full details of all individual units see the EAZY page of the website.)



The 1½” or 2” base unit can be prepared as a cupboard with door, or a drawer unit. Make sure you order the correct sized door or drawer fronts. The 2” unit can also be completed with an oven front or dishwasher front. You can use a 2” base as a sink unit for the single, 1½ bowl or round sinks PROVIDED that you have another unit next to it to provide space for the drainer.



The 3” unit can be used with two 1½” doors or one door and one 1½” set of drawer fronts (note panelled drawers consist of two equal drawers). It can also be used as a wide drawer unit, or an oven. You can also use it as the base for any of the sinks (except the Butler sink).



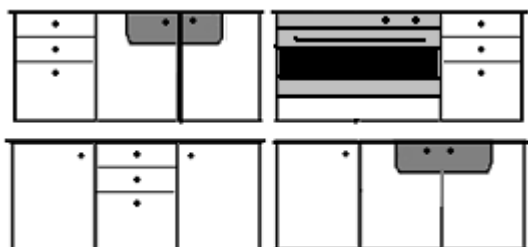
The 3½” and 4” units can be used in several ways.

The first option is to use the unit as a corner unit with a 1½” (for 3½” unit) or 2” (for 4” unit) door or drawers (order corner panels and 1½” or 2” door or drawers)

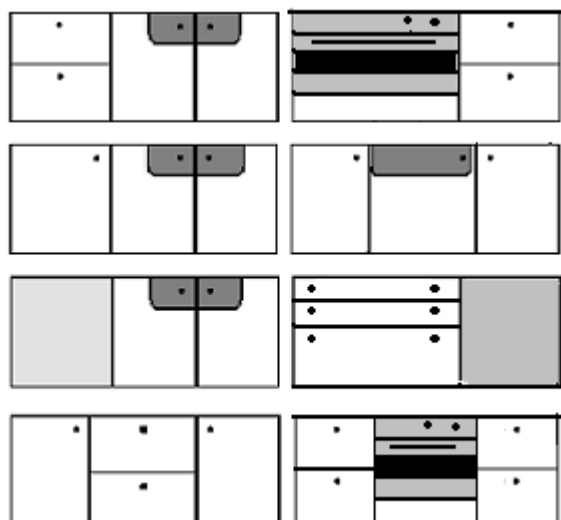
Secondly, you can use it with two doors, either two 2” doors (4” unit) or one 1½” and one 2” (3½” unit). If you wish you can place the sink over the 2” unit provided it has another block next to it.

Alternatively, you can use it for one cupboard (1½” or 2”) and one set of drawers (1 ½” or 2”).

Finally, this unit can also be used as a centre island with a breakfast bar.

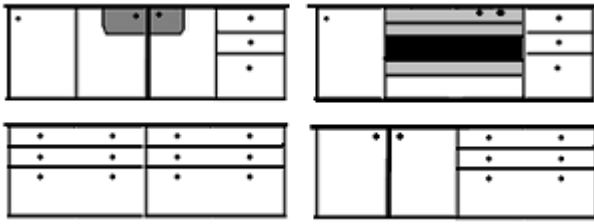


The 4½” unit can be used as a three-door unit (three 1½” doors) or you can add one or more sets of drawers (1½”). If you place these to one side, you can use the remaining double cupboard as a sink unit. Alternatively you can place the drawers in the centre. You can also use two sections for the wide oven or a set of wide drawers (see 3” unit).

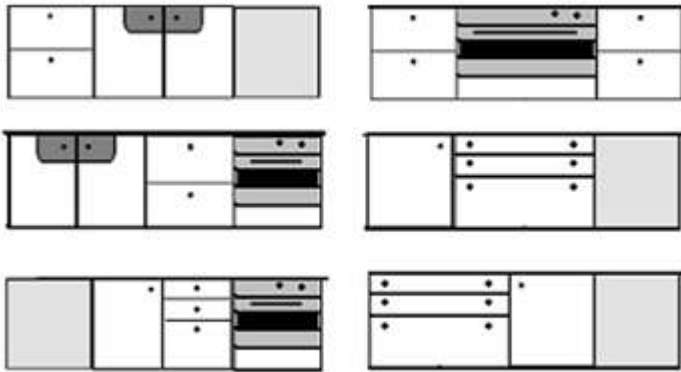


The 5” unit is one of the most flexible. It is equivalent to one 2” and two 1½” spaces, or one 2” and one 3” space. Hence the unit can be used as a corner unit, left or right (order corner panels), with either wide drawers, or one door (1½”) and one set of drawers (1½”) or a two-door cupboard, into which can place the sink if you wish (order two 1½” doors).

Alternatively, the 2” space can be used as either a cupboard with a door, or a set of drawers, or a standard oven, placing the 2” unit at either end or in the middle. If you place the 2” cupboard in the centre, you can place the sink in it, but if you put drawers or the oven in the centre you will have to place the sink in another unit. With a standard oven in the centre, you can have a 1½” door or drawers either side.



The 6" unit is the equivalent of four 1½", two 3", or one 3" unit and two 1½" units. You can place the sink in any section with two adjacent 1½" doors. One double section can be used for the wide oven, and one or both for wide drawers.

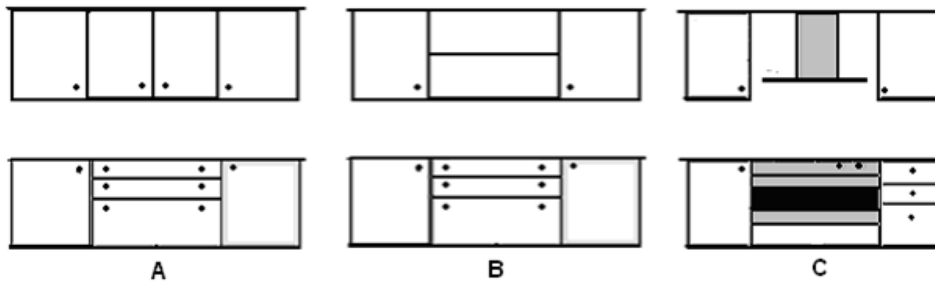


The 7" unit is equivalent to two 2" and two 1½" sections, or two 2" and one 3" section. The options are numerous, as one 2" section may be used as a corner (order corner panels), and both 2" sections can be used as doors, drawers, or standard oven (so you could even have a double oven if you wished!). Two 1½" sections can be combined to create a double cupboard (into which you can put the sink if you wish) or a wide oven or wide drawers. Other combinations are also possible.

WALL UNITS

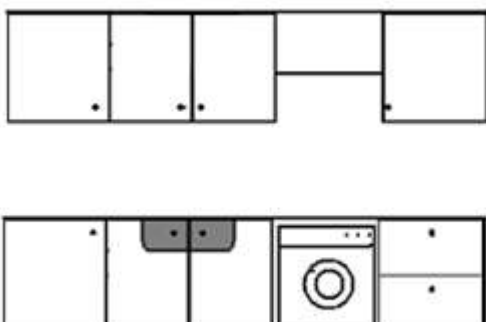
These are available in the same widths as the base units, and should be completed with the relevant door fronts. If you wish to paint your units, any of the wall units can be converted to an open shelf unit. If for instance, in A below, you order a 7" wall block to match your 7" base block, you can order two 1½" and two 2" doors to complete it. Alternatively, in B, the same base combination can be completed with two 2" and one 3" wall units, ordering just two 2" doors to complete it, and converting the 3" unit to a shelf unit. If you are leaving your units in natural wood, allow spaces for the shelves and use the strip provided to create them.

In C there are two 1½" wall units and a 3" extractor completing this 6" section. In all cases a continuous top links the wall units, so the extractor is attached to that, thus linking the three units for a sleek modern look.



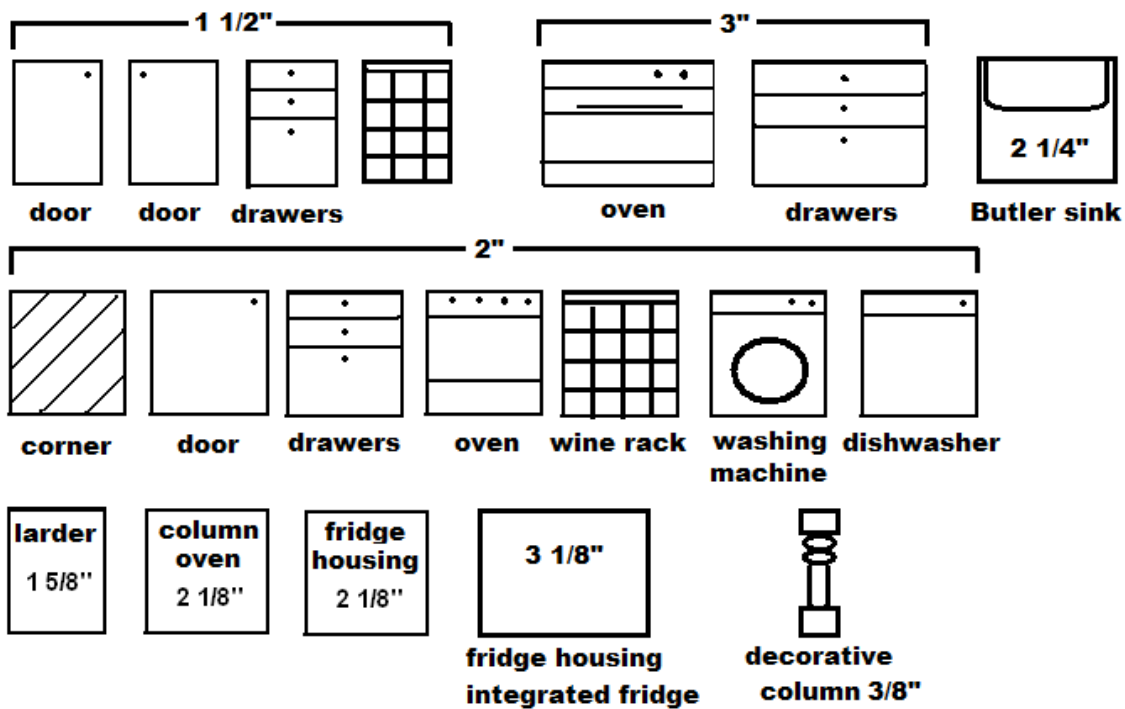
In addition, there is also a range of horizontal "lift-up" units – see website for details and sizes. In general you should try to match the width of the base units with the wall units, ie put a 2" wall unit over a 2" base unit etc, or a 3" unit over two adjacent 1½" ones. Another example is to put two 3" horizontal wall units over three 2" base units.

APPLIANCES



You can leave spaces for appliances anywhere in your kitchen. Most appliances are 2" wide. If you don't want an ELF built-in oven, you can use a free-standing Miele or Delph oven (or indeed add your own existing oven or Aga) adding an extractor to complete it. Additionally you can leave spaces for other appliances such as a washing machines, dishwasher or fridge. Worktops are supplied in 18" (45cm) lengths, so you simply leave a 2" space (or more if required) between other units and any corresponding space above can be filled with a shelving strip (supplied with the wall unit top – see left).

There is a wide range of fronts available to complete your basic blocks. The following chart shows the main units, grouping them in size



1 1/2" = 3.8cm, 2" = 5cm, 3" = 7.5cm, 1/8" = 3mm, 1/4" = 6mm, 3/8" = 9mm
(approximate conversions)

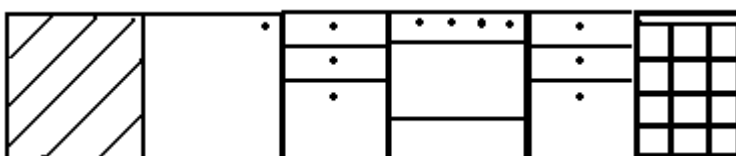
PLANNING YOUR KITCHEN

To start planning your kitchen, cut a sheet of paper into several strips 2" (5.1mm) wide. Then cut the strips into lengths corresponding to the size of the blocks you wish to use in your kitchen. Try and cut them as accurately as possible, or you may find your units won't fit the space. (You should always check your measurements at the end – add up the length of the units you have selected and compare this with the total length available – the total length of the units used should add up to between 1/8" (3mm) and 1/2" (12mm LESS than the total length available to allow for fitting).

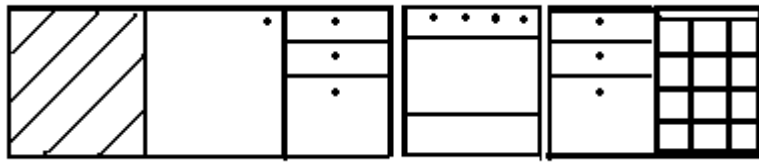
Begin with the base units and start with the essentials. If you want a corner layout, then cut a piece 2" wide, mark it "corner" or shade it as we have done above, so that you know what it represents, and place that in the relevant space in your room. Decide on the sort of oven you would like and cut a section of the correct length (2", 3" or, if you want a column oven, 2 1/8" - or a piece corresponding to the width of your existing oven/stove) again marking it "oven" or using the design we have used. Once you have cut the lengths for the essentials, cut several pieces 1 1/2" and 2" wide marking them as necessary – doors, drawers, wine rack etc.

Now decide where to put them. In general you want to have tall units at the end of a run. You can place two or three tall units together to create a feature if you wish. Keep washing machines and dishwashers close to the sink if possible because in "real" life this is usually the case (it makes the plumbing simpler!). You can cut several pieces out and move them around until you are happy with the result. Don't worry if there is a small gap at the end of a run: the units shouldn't come right to the front edge of the room or they will tend to look cramped. Additionally, any small gaps between the end of a run of units and the wall can be filled with a filler panel. And if you are really stuck, we can often supply a unit that is a different size than those listed. Just email us with your problem.

Once you have placed your units in the room, you now need to work out what to order. Some units have to be ordered individually – the wine rack, and the various tall column units for example. However, let us imagine that you have a run of units comprising a built in oven (2") a set of drawers either side of the oven (1 1/2" each) a corner and a cupboard (2") next to the corner, with a wine rack at the end. The wine rack must be ordered separately, but the remaining units can be ordered as one "block" of 7" (this covers all the units from the drawers on the right to the cupboard on the left, with the extra 2" for the corner being included in the "block" running the other way. If for some reason you don't have units on the other side – or you are putting an appliance next to the corner, then contact us and we can either supply you with a unit 9" long or offer another solution specifically to suit your requirements.



Now let us imagine for a moment that instead of a built-in oven, you would like the Miele oven (this has a hob that lights up, and realistic cooking sounds!) The overall look remains similar and again the wine rack must be ordered as a single unit. However, if in this case, you will need a 1 ½" unit for the drawers on the right, and a block 5 ½" long for the



remaining section (this time we can include the corner in our reckoning without any problem). With the free-standing oven you should also allow a little bit extra in the overall length of units on that side to allow a small overlap on the worktops either side of the oven.

You should aim to have the least number of blocks you can as one single unit 6" wide for example costs less than three units each 2" wide.

Once you have worked out the size and quantity of the blocks you require, simply order the oven front or Miele oven (2"), two sets of drawer fronts (1½") a door (2") and a set of corner panels. Add the worktop (which includes the plinth) choose your handles (the price is included in the price for doors/drawers) and it's done!

Note that most of the tall units have the doors already included in the price so you do not need to order these separately. Clicking on the photo of any individual product listing will open up a page giving full details of that unit and any specific considerations.

If you would like help at any stage when planning your kitchen, please contact us with your requirements. If you would like us to check your plan, simply send it to us at elfminiatures@hotmail.co.uk when you place your order and we will check you have ordered the correct pieces.

For an up-to-date worktop chart, follow the links on the website.